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Cyber Security Awareness – Shared Responsibility – Get up to Speed on Terms

- **Shared responsibility** is to educate yourself on potential threats. Many terms or jargon are used in the IT world and there's often an assumption if you have a computer, you know what the words mean. Part of effective safety preparedness, is good communication. To help us all get on the same page, and share in the responsibility, here is a Glossary of Terms of some of the more common threats: <https://www.staysafeonline.org/ncsam/resources/glossary-of-terms>
- **Virus 101 - The Basics** -this information gives an introduction to viruses and ways to avoid them. Frequently Asked Questions
 - [What is a virus?](#)
 - [What do viruses do?](#)
 - [What is a worm?](#)
 - [What is a Trojan horse?](#)
 - [Can I get a virus by reading my email messages?](#)
 - [How can I avoid a virus infection from email?](#)
 - [What are some general tips to avoid viruses and lessen their impact?](#)

For More Information

- These documents may be of particular interest if you have concerns about viruses and Trojan horses:
 - [Understanding Anti-virus Software](#)
 - [Using Caution with Email Attachments](#)
 - [Good Security Habits](#)
 - [Recovering from a Trojan Horse or Virus](#)

Training Opportunity

- Remember tomorrow, Tuesday, Oct. 6, is [FEMA's Virtual Table Top Exercise 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.](#) Email Training Officer Tim Cary for more information tcary@dps.state.nv.us

